

STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 16 STATE HOUSE STATION AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0016

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COMMISSIONER

October 20, 2006

Subject: LOA Passenger/Car Ferry Vessel

Project No: FBD-1168(100)X

Pin: 11681.00

Amendment No. 6

Dear Sir/Ms:

Make the following changes to the bid documents.

On the "Notice to Shipbuilders" page, in the first paragraph change the previously amended bid closing date from October 25, 2006 to November 15, 2006 and change the previously amended bid opening date from November 8, 2006 to November 29, 2006.

In the fifth paragraph which begins "For general information regarding..." within the sentence: "Questions received after 12:00 noon on September 22, 2006 will not be answered." change the previously amended date from October 20, 2006 to November 13, 2006. Make these changes in pen and ink.

The following question has been received.

Question: Could you please clarify how the bids are to be received by the Department?

Response: In Section 2: "Invitation for Sealed Bids" under item 10. <u>Identification of Bids.</u> One sealed envelope shall be marked: "FIXED PRICE BID FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A 154' PASSENGER/CAR FERRY FOR THE MAINE STATE FERRY SERVICE." and contain the four items listed. A second sealed envelope shall be marked: "TECHNICAL CAPABILITY FOR THE CONSTRUCTIONOF A 154' LOA PASSENGER/CAR FERRY and contain the information as required within item 5 (List of Major Equipment) and item 6 (Bidder's Technical Capability).

Consider these changes and information prior to submitting your bid on November 15, 2006.

Scott Bickford

Contracts & Specifications Engineer

